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SUBJECT: SITUATION OF CHRISTIANS IN NORTHERN IRAQ

REF: (A) STATE 091545; (B) TEHRAN 3747; (C) BAGHDAD 410

1. USINT HAS CHECKED OUT REPORTS CONTAINED REF A WITH PAPAL
NUNCIO IN BAGHDAD JEAN RUPP. HE SAID THAT, TO BEST
OF HIS KNOWLEDGE, CHRISTIANS OF NORTHERN IRAQ HAVE EXPERIENCED
NO PARTICULAR DIFFICULTIES DURING LAST DAYS OR AFTERMATH OF
KURDISH WAR. WE DID NOT GO INTO DETAILS SINCE NO SPECIFIC
CHARGES MADE IN REF A.

2. ON BASIS OF INFO CONTAINED REF B AND C,
I AGREE WITH RUPP'S ASSESSMENT. SUGGEST
DEPT OBTAIN SPECIFICS.

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